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1. The 33rd Mtz Inf Regt was identified in Medgidia (R 53/54/E 41) on 14 June 1950. * Two battalions of the regiment were stationed in Medgidia and one in Valul Lui Traian (R 53/54/E 50) [REDACTED].

2. The regiment was trained for employment against enemy parachute and airborne troops. The battalions in Medgidia were equipped with ZB rifles, submachine guns and Soviet AT rifles. Each battalion also had four guns of about 45 mm caliber. In addition the battalion in Valul Lui Traian was equipped with five T34 tanks.

3. An AAA unit, possibly a battalion, with about twenty 37-mm AA guns was also stationed in Medgidia.

* [REDACTED] Comment. A 33rd Inf Regt was reported in Tulcea and assigned to the 9th Inf Div in April 1949.

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